# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3265
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RAILWAY PROJECTS OF CHHATTISGARH
Mohale Shri Punnulal

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) The details of the railway projects submitted by the Government of Chhattisgarh to the Railways during 2006−07 for approval;

(b) The details of the projects which have been cleared;

(c) The reasons for not clearing the remaining projects;

(d) Whether the Railways are aware that the progress on railway projects of Chhattisgarh is being hampered due to shortage of funds; and

(e) If so, the steps taken for allocating the sufficient funds for completing these projects on time?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a) to (c): No fresh proposal has been received from the State Government of Chhattisgarh during 2006−07 for approval.

(d) & (e): The projects are being progressed as per their operational priorities and the availability of resources. The Railways have taken a number of initiatives to get additional resources from sources other than the normal budgetary support to expedite the completion of these projects.